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SALES & EVENTS

Mar. 13 & 14, 9am-3pm	Soul-Touched Treasures Estate Sale	1114 Alder Avenue, Lewiston
Mar. 13 & 14. 8am-5pm	OCD Estate Sale	10003 West White Lane, Cheney
Mar. 13 & 14, 8am-4pm	Estate Sale by Julie	4111 E. Grace Ave, Spokane
Mar. 14, 9am-4pm	Annual Arts & Crafts Show	Southside Community Center, 3151 E 27th Ave, Spokane
Mar. 14-15, 9am-4pm	Medical Lake Moving Sale, Everything Must Go	21203 West Beechwood Road, Medical Lake
Mar. 12-14, Thurs.-Sat. 12pm-5pm	Metro's Backroom Blowout: Everything Must Go	604 N. Monroe Street, Spokane
Mar. 19 & 20, 9am-3pm	The Owens Gallery Estate Sale	1514 S. Flint Rd, Airway Heights
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AUCTIONS

Mar. 12, 9am	Online	Vehicle Auction	www.Auction.Pro-Tow.com
Mar. 12, 12pm	Brewster	Abandoned Vehicle Auction: Shull's Towing	25899 Hwy 97 S.
Mar. 12, 12pm	Okanogan	Randy's Towing Vehicle Auction	2135 Elmway
Mar. 12, ENDS 10am & Mar. 13, ENDS 10am	Currently online	2-Day Eltopia Consignment Auction	www.bookerauction.co/
Mar. 13, 10am	Moses Lake	Agri-Fix Abandoned Vehicle Auction	6928 Rd L NE, Moses Lake
Mar. 13, 10am	Dryden	Abandoned Vehicle Auction Mountain Highway Towing	8410 Main Street
Mar. 13, 4pm	Post Falls	Premier Auction Center	674 N. Pleasant View
Mar. 15, 12pm	Airway Heights	Owens Estate Auction Schedule	1514 S. Flint Rd
Mar. 16, 12pm	Wenatchee	Randy's Towing Vehicle Auction	353 Malaga-Alcoa Hwy
Mar. 16, 12pm	Quincy	Piston Auto Wrecking Abandoned Vehicle Auction	10335 Road U NW
Mar. 18, 12pm	Spokane	Nelson's Towing Auction	808 E. Houston Avenue
Mar. 18, ENDS 10am	Currently online	Bar Balloon Ranch Auction	www.bookerauction.co/
Mar. 19, 12pm	Okanogan	Randy's Towing Vehicle Auction	2135 Elmway

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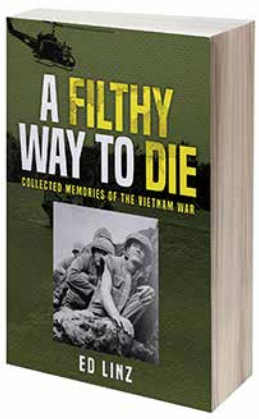

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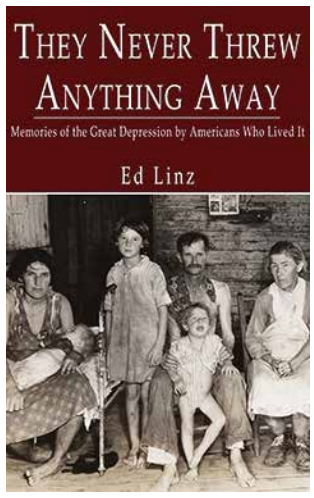

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Dave Baughman "The Outdoor Insider"

It sure has been nice to have clear and sunny days throughout the region for many days. There is even more daylight with the change to daylight savings time. It's a great time of year, with springtime changing the hills to green and soon the balsam root plants will decorate them with bright yellow flowers. Fishing opportunities continue to expand as water temperatures warm.

I am always interested in how the fishing is on Moses Lake, and I had a chance to check out the action at the I-90 Bridge last week. I arrived late in the day, so I am sure I missed the usual crowds on the rip rap banks and on the bridge itself. There were still some anglers fishing along the shore, and even some just arriving when I was leaving. I was able to visit with one angler who was getting some good sized perch from the bridge. He was nice enough to pick one out of his bucket to show me. He said the perch fishing is holding up really well, and there are some very nice crappie being caught near the bridge, too. I remember that there were swarms of crappie here last year, but you had to sort through them to get some keepers. Maybe there are a lot more crappie keeper size this season, which is at least 9 inches. I will remind folks that the limit is ten on Moses Lake. While I was on the bridge a bass boat headed for the launch. Could the bass bite be early this year? I hope so! This week's photo is of an angler with a perch he caught from the bridge.

When I was out checking on the activity on the March 1st opening of several lakes in the region, I made it all the way up to the Coulee City Marina. The reason was that with the very unusual weather we've experienced in the region there could be people already looking for walleye on Banks Lake. Sure enough, there were several trucks and trailers parked here, and I saw one boat as it was just leaving the marina. You may recall that I posted the Walleye Fishing Prospects graphs from the netting surveys conducted by the Department of Fish and Wildlife on Banks Lake and Potholes Reservoir last fall. The results of this survey on Banks has some interesting aspects to it. Although the overall abundance of walleye in Banks is down just slightly from the survey done in 2022, the abundance of certain sizes of walleye was up. The number of walleye in the 16 to 20 inch class made up almost 40 percent of the population of walleye and there will be more walleye of 20 to 24 inches (which most anglers release) that are in the previous survey as well.

I was curious about how the kokanee derby came off on Lake Chelan. Many think this one is done too early in the season, but the fishing is usually good for kokanee this time of year. According to what I have been told,

the fishing was very good for the derby, and everyone had a great time. Fishing starts at 6 in the morning and by 8 some of the boats were done, having taken their limit for the day. They only allow 50 boats in the derby each year. Word is that most of the fish were taken at around 50 feet. It turns out that two Leavenworth anglers took first place in this year's derby. The 20 fish that they turned in weighed a total of 8 pounds. Obviously, the kokanee aren't very big on Chelan this year, but the action is great. I wanted boaters to know that I got a message from Nate Stull, of Stully's Guide Service, saying that there is a lot of debris in the water on Chelan right now. So, better take it slow when you are driving up and down the lake looking for fish.

One of the popular lakes in the Quincy Wildlife Area doesn't offer fishing in early March. It's an irrigation fed water and the level is way down this time of year. Evergreen Reservoir is a terrific spiny ray lake, with a variety of species that attract anglers when it fills. I got word that the irrigation canals will start filling on March 18th and soon after, when the boat launches are usable it will get busy. Not as busy as some of the larger reservoirs in the region, but anglers in the know will be on Evergreen looking for the walleye, largemouth and smallmouth bass, perch, crappie and even tiger muskie. I have been fishing Evergreen for many years and have had many memorable days on the small reservoir. My wife and I had a terrific day of fishing for largemouth bass and have spent countless days catching smallmouth. Probably the most memorable was the time I hooked a tiger muskie and Eileen was able to net it. We were thrilled when we released it and still marvel at the experience even now. I will be keeping tabs on Evergreen and will let you know when the water is high enough to launch a boat.

It has been confirmed that the planned special release of 1,500 trout into Burke and Quincy lakes for the March 1st opener didn't take place, due to a mechanical issue with the truck. According to the folks at the Region 2 office in Ephrata the plant should happen this week. As I mentioned in my earlier report, anglers were disappointed at Burke and Quincy and much happier at Martha and Caliche. I also checked the lakes further up the valley. I saw a few trucks parked at the public access at the upper end of Lake Lenore and also at the very top end of the lake. I wasn't able to talk to anyone there and continued up the highway to Dry Falls Lake. I stopped at the overlook and took a shot of the fly fishers that were paddling around on the calm water. This should have been a productive day for those who made the bouncy drive into the lake which is accessed above the State Park across from Park Lake. I also watched a boat take off from the Coulee City Marina on Banks, where there were several trucks and trailers in the lot. I'd bet they were looking for pre-spawn walleye.

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Six National Competition Winners Perform with the Symphony on March 14

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One of the most anticipated events of the Symphony's season, the concert showcases six winners of the CSO's National Young Artist Competition performing celebrated masterworks alongside the full orchestra under the direction of Music Director Danh Pham. The program highlights exceptional young musicians from across the country, each demonstrating remarkable artistry while performing some of classical music's most beloved repertoire.

2026 Young Artist Competition Winners

Gabrielle Sewell, violin — A soloist and educator praised for her "innate musicianship" and "formidable technique," Sewell is a winner of the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music Concerto Competition and has appeared as a soloist with multiple orchestras, including a performance alongside Andrea Bocelli. She will perform Henryk Wieniawski's Violin Concerto No. 2 in D minor, Op. 22.

Lily Richards, violin — A 17-year-old from Chehalis, Washington, Richards won First Prize in the 2025 Olympia Young Artists Competition and earned a Bronze Medal in the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra Young Artists Competition. She has performed as a soloist with Philharmonia Northwest and the Tacoma Junior Youth Symphony. She will perform Erich Wolfgang Korngold's Violin Concerto in D major, Op. 35.

Elizabeth Li, piano — A junior at Vanderbilt University's Blair School of Music, Li has earned top honors in national and international competitions, including a Gold Medal at the National Young Maestro Competition, with performances at Carnegie Hall's Weill Recital Hall, and Grand Prize at the New York Concert Festival Competition at Lincoln Center. She will perform Maurice Ravel's Piano Concerto in G.

Bridget Hoang, piano — An eleventh-grade student from Morgan Hill, California, Hoang has received numerous competition honors and has appeared as a soloist with the Golden State Youth Orchestra and the Palo Alto Philharmonic. She will perform Sergei Rachmaninoff's Piano Concerto No. 1 in F# minor, Op. 1.

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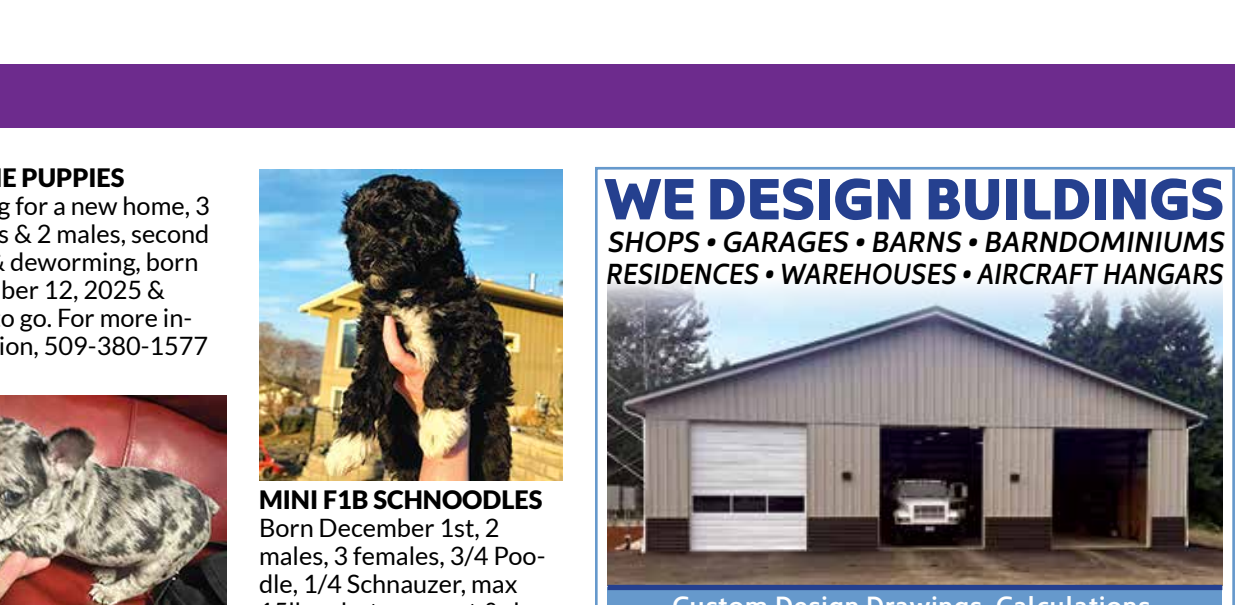

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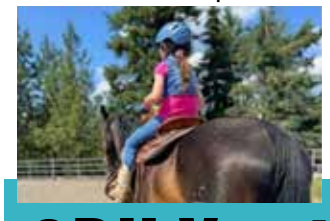

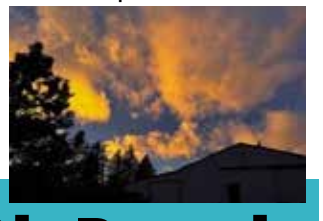

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4. A woolen cap of Scottish origin
7. Painted with glue
12. Legendary crooner
15. Structure made with strips of wood
16. Tropical fruits
18. Commercial
19. Comedienne Gasteyer
20. The Ocean State
21. Ancient Scot
24. Basics
27. Stated propositions
30. Scottish island group
31. Expression of annoyance
33. Large tree
34. Engine additive
35. Conspiracy
37. Drunkard
39. Someone who is morally reprehensible
41. Ancient Syrian city
42. Mild yellow Dutch cheese made in balls
44. Carry (slang)
47. Sweet potato
48. European river
49. The Golden State
50. Windy City ballplayer
52. New Testament
53. Possess spiritually
56. A treeless grassy plain
61. Popular historical novel
63. In a law-abiding way
64. A place to sleep
65. Criticize

DOWN

1. Impression in a surface
2. Computer language
3. Relating to the ear
4. Occupant
5. Member of Great Plains people
6. Social media firm
7. Digital audiotape
8. Midway between east and southeast
9. Chronic, progressive disease
10. Chinese lute
11. Not wet
12. Moves wings up and down
13. Communication devices
14. Swiss river
17. Female sibling
22. Receive
23. Relating to a type
24. General's assistant (abbr.)
25. Steep bank
26. Taxi driver
28. Moves into without difficulty
29. Bicycle manufacturer
32. Traditional rhythmic pattern
36. Fugitives are on it
38. Bitter-tasting organic substance
40. Die
43. Matched
44. Literary genre __-fi
45. Cannot
46. Pounded
51. British rock group
54. Debt relief order
55. 2006 NL Cy Young winner
56. Green vegetable
57. Tough outer skin of fruit
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59. Ailments
60. Famed singer Charles
62. Camper

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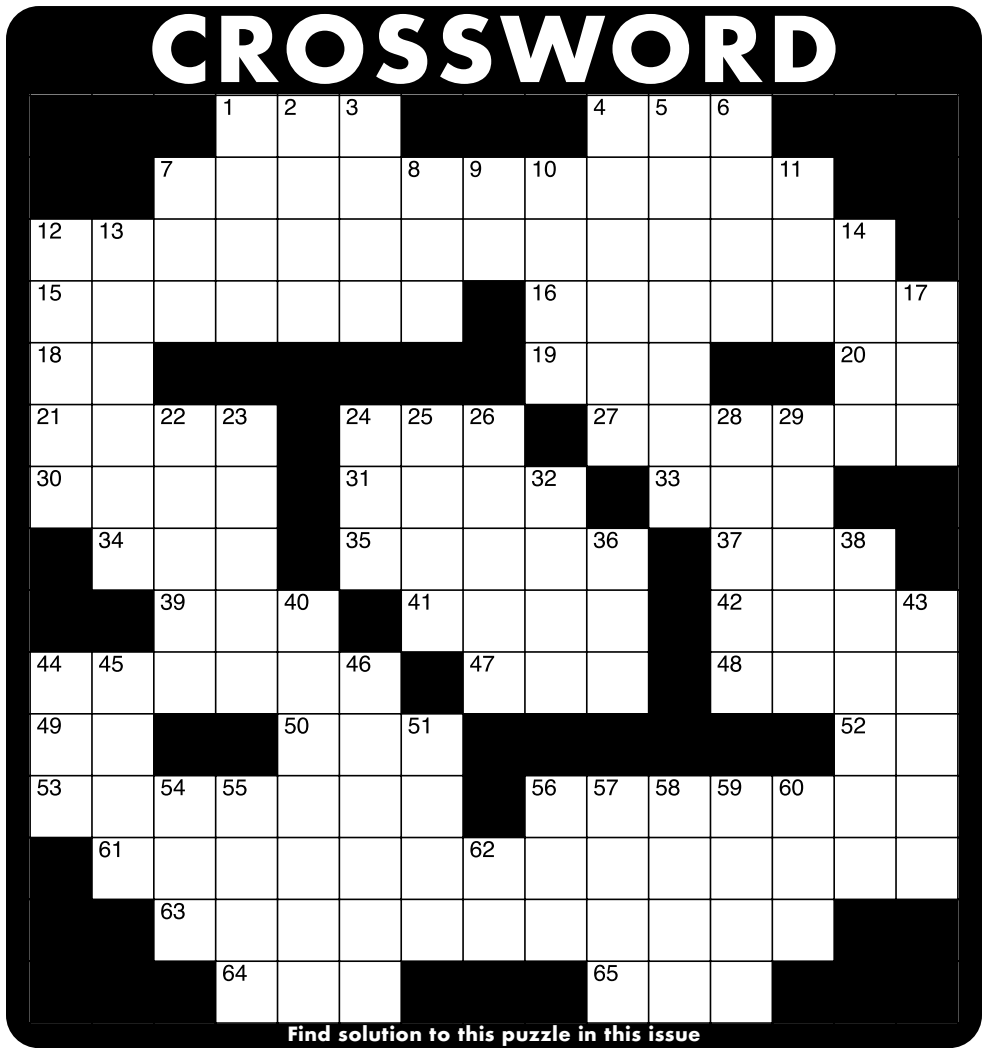

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Real Estate Trends & Advice

WHEN WEATHER BECOMES THE DECIDING FACTOR

Often, out-of-area buyers view property only during seasons of the year when there are no adverse weather conditions. Knowing how weather might affect a certain property or certain types of structures could be a vital deciding factor. Since there are many microclimates in our region, a great deal of research can be done and information gathered before making a decision to purchase.

In my area, which is an extreme snow belt, many new homeowners from warmer regions have come and gone, usually lasting only one winter before deciding that it just isn't for them.

If you have the fortitude to handle areas that accumulate such high snow levels, then care should be taken to look for proper construction methods that can not only physically handle snow loads and other weather-related issues but also include styles that lessen the impact when conditions are adverse, such as covered porches and metal roofs that shed snow away from doors and driveways.

Manufactured homes typically have a sticker inside the home (often in a kitchen cabinet or electrical panel) that indicates the insulation factor, along with the engineered roof load and whether it is sufficient for the area in which you live.

How is the road getting in and out? It may be fine now, but just wait until February or March! Does the road have steep grades, shaded areas, or narrow passages? Who maintains the road? Is there a written road maintenance agreement? Is there flooding in the spring, and is the runoff properly ditched?

Be sure to look in the pump house. Is it properly insulated? Is there a heat source to keep it from freezing? Too many times, a new owner has experienced frozen pipes because they did not know to turn the heat on in the pump house during that first winter.

Those beautiful trees and green shrubs near the home you loved so much when you looked at it in the spring—are they too close to the home? If a tree falls in a windstorm, is it close enough to damage the home? Are the trees and shrubs far enough away to make your home defensible against ever-increasing wildfires?

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for March 12-18

ARIES – Mar 21/Apr 20
A collaboration brings out your best side, Aries. Someone else's strengths may complement your drive right now. You'll get a lot of things done this week.

TAURUS – Apr 21/May 21
Your patience pays off in a relationship, Taurus. A long-term goal you share with a partner starts to move into the planning stages this week. Enjoy the excitement ahead.

GEMINI – May 22/Jun 21
Gemini, joyful news arrives via a friend in the next few days. Celebrate the successes of others, as your own turn for good news is right around the corner.

CANCER – Jun 22/Jul 22
This week you may have the opportunity to find beauty in small things, Cancer. A simple walk or a quiet meal with a loved one can bring about peace and insight.

LEO – Jul 23/Aug 23
You are the life of the party right now, Leo. Your warmth draws people to you, making this a great time for networking. A job offer may come from your efforts.

VIRGO – Aug 24/Sept 22
An act of kindness you performed recently may come back to you in surprising ways, Virgo. The universe will reward your generous spirit. You may continue to pay it forward.

LIBRA – Sept 23/Oct 23
Figure out the perfect middle ground between work responsibilities and fun this week, Libra. If you delegate some of your tasks, you may free up time for personal enjoyment.

SCORPIO – Oct 24/Nov 22
Scorpio, optimism is your guiding light this week. Your "can-do" attitude may inspire others who cross your path in the days to come. Lots will get done in little time.

SAGITTARIUS – Nov 23/Dec 21
Deep conversations may lead to a breakthrough, Sagittarius. You might start to understand someone else or a situation on a whole new level.

CAPRICORN – Dec 22/Jan 20
Capricorn, financial stability is something you should carefully consider this week. A smart decision you made in the past may not be the best way to continue forward.

AQUARIUS – Jan 21/Feb 18
Aquarius, you may feel a strong draw toward community or giving back this week. Helping out a neighbor will bring you satisfaction, or you can volunteer.

PISCES – Feb 19/Mar 20
It's important to trust your intuition, Pisces. This is leading you toward a very happy coincidence by the end of the week. Someone special becomes involved.

REAL ESTATE

Legacy Planning Workshop (Ages 18+)

Coeur d'Alene Public Library - 702 E Front Ave, Coeur d'Alene - Gozzer Room

Tuesday, March 17th 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Join Jereme Roodhouse from North Idaho Legacy Planning for a workshop on legacy and estate planning. Discover the difference between the government's plan for when you die and the one you can create. Learn what documents you need to properly protect, manage, and avoid being a burden to your loved ones. Learn how to properly assign and align your beneficiary statements on everything from life insurance to assets and titled property.

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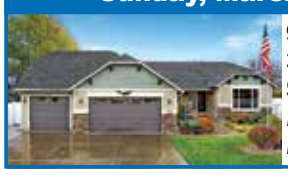

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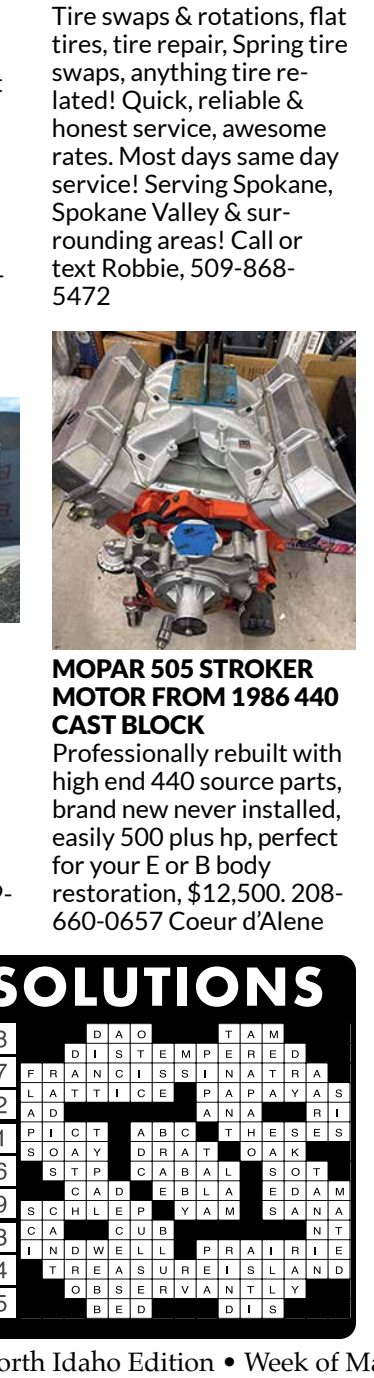

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'FREEDOM 250 GRAND PRIX' UNVEILS HISTORIC RACETRACK DESIGN

INDYCAR to Host First-ever Street Race on National Mall, Aug. 22-23

WASHINGTON, D.C. (Monday, March 9, 2026) – Charting the course of racing history, officials today unveiled the unique racetrack design and layout for this summer's Freedom 250 Grand Prix of Washington, D.C., featuring the cars and stars of the NTT INDYCAR SERIES.

Set for Aug. 22-23, 2026, the Freedom 250 Grand Prix will mark the first-ever auto race held on the National Mall and the historic city streets of Washington D.C., to celebrate the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. The landmark weekend will be free and open to the public, offering unprecedented access to North America's premier open-wheel series framed by America's most iconic symbols of democracy, freedom and unity.

The Freedom 250 Grand Prix street circuit will feature a 1.7mile, seven turn layout, blending the highspeed demands of INDYCAR racing with the historic character and stunning visuals of the nation's capital. The racing circuit will wind around the National Mall, incorporating some of America's most historic and iconic landmarks.

Designed with fan accessibility, breathtaking views and safety at its core, the Freedom 250 Grand Prix street circuit will feature the high-powered open-wheel cars of the NTT INDYCAR SERIES racing on a sweeping .4-mile frontstretch along Pennsylvania Avenue, framed by the Washington Monument and the U.S. Capitol. The pit lane area of the track will be adjacent to the track, on Pennsylvania Avenue, between Turns 1 and 2 on the circuit design. The INDYCAR field will also race by the Smithsonian National Air and Space Museum, the National Gallery of Art and the National Archives on the challenging and picturesque course layout.

"This circuit is unlike any other street race we've seen," said twotime NTT INDYCAR SERIES champion and back-to-back Indianapolis 500 winner Josef Newgarden. "You've got a highspeed section down Pennsylvania Avenue that will reward commitment and precision, mixed with technical corners around 9th Street that will demand respect."

The Freedom 250 Grand Prix was formalized through an Executive Order signed earlier this year by President Donald J. Trump entitled "Celebrating American Greatness with American Motor Racing."

The first ever street race around the National Mall enjoys key support from Chief of Protocol of the United States, Ambassador Monica Crowley, U.S. Transportation Secretary Sean Duffy, U.S. Secretary of the Interior Doug Burgum, and Washington D.C. Mayor Muriel Bowser.

GATORNATIONALS KICK OFF NHRA'S 75TH SEASON

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (March 8, 2026) – Ocala's Josh Hart won in his debut with John Force Racing on Sunday at Gainesville Raceway, taking down reigning Top Fuel world champion Doug Kalitta in the final round of the Amalie Motor Oil NHRA Gatornationals.

Chad Green (Funny Car), Matt Hartford (Pro Stock) and Richard Gadson (Pro Stock Motorcycle) also won in front of a capacity crowd at the first of 20 races during the 2026 NHRA Mission Foods Drag Racing Series season. It also marks the start of NHRA's 75th anniversary season.

Hart, who set the track speed record on Friday, went 3.733-seconds at 337.83 mph in his 12,000-horsepower Burnyzz/Speedmaster dragster to knock off Kalitta, who slowed to a 3.877 at 319.60. It marks the third career win for Hart and first in nearly five years.

"I'm so grateful for everybody," Hart said. "John Force, thank you for picking me."

In Funny Car, Green continued his dominant performance at Gainesville Raceway, making it back-to-back victories at the Amalie Motor Oil NHRA Gatornationals thanks to a run of 3.959 at 329.91 in his 12,000-horsepower Bond-Coat, Inc. Ford Mustang against Alexis DeJoria in the final round.

Pro Stock's Matt Hartford had his own winless streak snapped on Sunday as well, picking up his first victory since 2023 by going 6.530 at 210.41 in his Total Seal Chevrolet Camaro to hold off six-time world champion Greg Anderson.

The NHRA Mission Foods Drag Racing Series returns to action March 20-22 with the FMP NHRA Arizona Nationals presented by NGK Spark Plugs at Firebird Motorsports Park in Phoenix.

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